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SUBJECT: COFFEE: EXTENSION OF ICA - 1968

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1. SUMMARY - CONTACT GROUP EXPRESSED PREFERENCE FOR COUNCIL RESOLUTION RATHER THAN PROTOCOL AS VEHICLE FOR PRESENTING ICA - 1968 TO MEMBERS AND REACHED AGREEMENT ON TEXT OF RESOLUTION. END SUMMARY.

2. AFTER CONTACT GROUP HAD FINISHED ITS WORK ON SUBSTANTIVE ARTICLES ICA, DISCUSSION TURNED TO LEGAL QUESTIONS RELATING TO FORM OF EXTENSION. GROUP AGREED THAT CLOSING ARTICLES (60-72) WHICH ARE FORMAL AND LEGAL IN NATURE, BE REFERRED TO LEGAL DRAFTING GROUP FOR FURTHER CONSIDERATION. US DEL AGREED TO THIS PROCEDURE, BUT STATED THAT HE HAD RECEIVED LEGAL ADVICE THAT NOT RPT NOT NECESSARY CHANGE ANY THESE ARTICLES IN EXTENDED ICA (REFTEL B).

3. MONTES (GUATEMALA) WHO CHAIRMAN LEGAL DRAFTING COMMITTEE (OTHER MEMBERS ARE MENDES-SILVA AND FISHER OF SEC-
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RETARIAT) THEN REPORTED ON RESULTS ITS WORK. ALL MEMBERS HAD AGREED THAT LEGALLY EITHER COUNCIL RESOLUTION OR PROTOCOL COULD BE USED TO EXTEND ICA. MAJORITY OF COMMITTEE FAVORED PROTOCOL, BUT NOT BECAUSE OF ANY GREAT DIFFERENCE IN LEGAL EFFECT. MONTES THEN WENT OVER IN DETAIL TEXT OF RESOLUTION (REFTEL A). :

-- " ANY IDEAS OF THWARTING CHILEAN CONSTITUTIONAL PROCESSES WERE FIRMLY REJECTED BY THIS ADMINISTRATION.

-- " THERE WERE NO IMPROPER ACTIVITIES IN WHICH THE EMBASSY, THE MISSION IN SANTIAGO, OUR REPRESENTATIVES IN CHILE ENGAGED."

4. USDEL SHOULD PARTICULARLY AVOID ENTERING INTO GENERAL SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSION OF MULTINATIONAL CORPORATIONS. IF SOME US STATEMENT ON THIS SUBJECT APPEARS UNAVOIDABLE, USDEL MAY COMMENT ALONG FOLLOWING LINES.

A. HRC NOT THE APPROPRIATE FORUM TO DISCUSS THIS SUBJECT, BECAUSE IT IS BEING STUDIED BY ECOSOC, UNCTAD, AND OTHER UN BODIES.

B. UNDER ECOSOC RES. 1721 (LIII) (JULY 28, 1972), SYG HAS APPOINTED GROUP OF EMINENT PERSONS TO STUDY IMPACT OF MULTINATIONAL CORPORATIONS. LATIN AMERICAN AND US DELEGATIONS JOINED IN NEGOTIATING THIS RES THAT SETS FRAMEWORK FOR STUDY TO ENSURE IT WOULD BE BALANCED. RES CALLS ON GROUP TO FORMULATE CONCLUSIONS, SUBMIT RECOMMENDATIONS.

C. MOREOVER, UNCTAD STUDYING RESTRICTIVE BUSINESS ASPECTS OF MULTINATIONAL CORPORATIONS, UNDER LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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RES 73 (III), AND ILO STUDYING RELATIONSHIP OF ACTIVITIES OF MULTINATIONAL CORPORATIONS TO SOCIAL POLICY (DECISION OF MARCH 1973). GA AND ECOSOC WILL REVIEW CONCLUSIONS OF ALL THESE STUDIES. ROGERS

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